

Application Serial No. 10/780,152  
Amendment dated September 17, 2007  
Reply to Office Action dated April 17, 2007

**Amendment to the Title:**

Please delete the title and replace same with the following new title:

USE OF POLYSACCHARIDES FOR INTRODUCING ACTIVE SUBSTANCES INTO  
THE HUMAN OR ANIMAL METABOLISM

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Before paragraph [0001] , please insert the following heading:

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

Please delete paragraph [0010] in its entirety.

After paragraph [0010] and before paragraph [0011], please insert the following heading:

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

After paragraph [0016] and before paragraph [0017], please insert the following heading:

DETAILED DESCRIPTION

Please delete paragraphs [0030] and [0031] in their entirety.

Please replace paragraph [0033] with the following replacement paragraph:

[0037] Figure 1 shows a comparison of the release of active substance in the human or animal body via two different active substance mechanisms, namely a comparison of the kinetics of the active substance release in a conventional preparation compared with the active substance on incorporation into a polysaccharide[[:]]. The concentration of active substance in the blood is shown along the ordinate while the time is shown along the abscissa.

Please delete paragraphs [0038] and [0039] in their entirety.